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### Part III EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An Examiner's Amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 C.F.R. § 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the Issue Fee.

Authorization for this Examiner's Amendment was given in a telephone interview with Mark D. Elchuck on 1/27/95.

- 2. / The application has been amended as follows:
- claim 5, line 20 please delete the word "chain" and add the word --chair-- before the phrase "is occupied."

3. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Anthony Barfield whose telephone number is (703) 308-2158.

ÄB January 29, 1995 KENNETH J. DORNER SUPERVISORY PATENT EXAMINER ART UNIT 357